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### NEWS RELEASE

The International Bridge Administration today announced that one-way traffic crossings of the International Bridge at Sault Ste. Marie totaled 165,189 for the month of September 2010. This represents an increase of 6.68% as compared to September 2009.

Traffic statistics for the month are as follows:

<i>Vehicle Classification</i>	<i>One-Way Crossings</i>	<i>Change from September 2009</i>	<i>Percent of Total Crossings</i>
<i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i>	77,835	5.9%	47.1%
<i>Commuter Fare:</i>	73,027	9.4%	44.2%
<i>Car Pulling Trailers</i>	6,167	3.8%	3.8%
<i>Commercial Trucks:</i>	8,160	-6.3%	4.9%
<i>Totals:</i>	165,189	6.7%	100%

Traffic for calendar year 2010 has totaled 1,363,471 vehicles; this represents an increase of 8.54% as compared to 2009. Since the bridge opened in 1962, over 89.4 million vehicles have crossed the structure.

Sincerely,

*International Bridge Administration*

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